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ply to the Evening torus. Nor do the raise of that issu-apply to the Horning Edition.

THE PROPER RULE.

The people rule: New York is not to be bossed ; that, in brief, is the meaning of the Republican nomination of NICOLL and MAR-TIME and its eager indorsemen by thousands

The result is a triumph of the democratic will of the people is the law of the land," said ULYSSES S. GRANT. It was and is the will of the people that both the men who personified a determined prosecution of Bribers and Boodlers should be continued in the service of Justice. The Democratic party, under the fatal guidance of its small preference. The Republican Convention bowed to the will and granted the wish. THE WORLD has special reason for satis-

tion in congratulating the people of New York that their will is to be law. For this and we have striven. To this result we shall continue to dedicate our best service. Corruption must be rebuked and crime

AN INSPIRING COINCIDENCE.

Justice has been an exile from the tower Oity Hall. Her scales were rusty. Her sword was broken. She could not see for the bandage across her eyes. But she is coming back to-day. Her scales

are readjusted. Her broad sword glistens. There is no blindfold on her eyes.

Justice has long struggled at odds in our city affairs. She has been shackled by the Bosses. She has been gagged by the Boodlers. And finally the corrupt "comof criminals and semi-criminals con-

spired to "knife" her in the public square. But Justice to-day is on the verge of triumph. The people have rallied to her e. NICOLL and MARTINE are blazoned on their standard. The forces of corruption will be put to rout.

Justice is coming back to stay, with her scales in the hands of MARTINE and her scourge in the hands of Nicoli.

THE WOMEN OF TO.DAY.

The three important gatherings of women being held in this city to-day are significant of the rapidly enlarging field of their activities.

No fair-minded man can deny that even with its heretofore restricted sphere the other sex has done its full share of the world's work. But the phases of contemporary life have happily brought to many women a release from mere drudgery and larger opportunities for employment and useass. They are entering the new lines of activity with enthusiasm, persistence and

There is only one way for appreciative men to meet this dangerous competition, and even that applies only to the bread-winning pursuits, from which marriage takes many women "for better or for worse."

A FATAL DEPECT.

Nobody has objected to Col. FELLOWS for District-Attorney because he is not rich. For honest poverty, meeting every duty bravely. we have the highest respect.

But there is a general feeling, inspired by nd reasons, that a man who habitually lives beyond his income, mortgages his salary in advance, and who struggles with judgments instead of curtailing his expenses, is not a proper person to put in a position of bility beset by many temptations. A man who does not take care of his private ations is not the best man to trust with public obligations.

A public prosecutor, of all officials off the ch, needs to be independent, free from personal or political debts, inflexibly true to uty and proof against temptation. Col. FRILLOWS is not such a man.

THE CHOLERA CARES.

m the Health Officer's station at Quaran nes the very tardy statement that lly have been cholers eases on board

the Britannia, and that one of the patients

The existence of cholers on board this steamer was shown by THE EVENING WORLD. Oct. 18th. Deputy Health Officer A. W. SMITH was the authority for the facts. His lips were afterwards sealed by his superiors, and information was withheld from the belated reporters of our contemporaries, who are just eight days behind THE EVENING WORLD in giving the news.

A policy of secrecy is not calculated to satisfy the public. Let us have a little less mystery and a little more efficiency about the work at Quarantine.

THE ONE ISSUE.

Good government is the sole issue in the municipal contest.

Our Republican contemporary, the Tribune, truly says: "The honest Democrats, and honest citizens, without regard to party, have the same interest in the election."

Honest Democrats have the deeper interest, if there is any difference. The defeat of an unworthy candidate and the election of a faithful official and sound Democrat, through a revolt of the honest voters, will teach the false leaders to respect public opinion hereafter.

Discipline is sometimes as necessary for a party as for a bad child.

TOOK THE RIGHT ROAD.

The Republicans rose to the emergency. They took the right road. They put principles above party.

In nominating NICOLL and MARTINE they put aside narrow partisanship and acted for the public interests. In thus serving the people they serve their party.

No true Democrat will begrudge them praise for the nomination of Democrats, who stand for the best sentiment of the Democracy. No true Republican will hesitate to support nominations that mean the prosecution and punishment of thieves regardless of party.

For this unpartisan service the Republicans deserve credit. For this their reward will be success.

THE RIGHT KIND OF "COMBINE."

The project to combine the two organizations of coal miners, together with the unorganized miners, into one strong and vigorprinciple. "This is a government where the ous national organization deserves encouragement. The coal barons have combined. Let the miners meet combination with combination.

And let the people of Pennsylvania "combine" to break up the unjust dockage system, the "pluck-me" stores and the company doctor extortion. Let the country at Bosses, defied this will and insulted this large "combine" to lift the crushing weight of war taxes that bear upon the poor miners with especial severity.

Fight "combines" with "combines."

MR. GOULD AS A TOURIST.

Even a richly flavored diet of railroad companies, opposition telegraphs and all manner of corporate and individual lambs, served in every style, palls upon the appetite. So Mr. JAY GOULD seriously proposes to leave on Saturday to taste the delights of Mediterranean travel. All Wall street will wish him a nice long voyage, uninterrupted by telegraph facilities.

There will be many things abroad to interest the Alexander of Finance. He has long sighed with the Man of Macedon for other worlds to conquer. He will naturally take great interest in the haunts of the CESARS for has not the very name a pleasantly sug-

gestive sound? Mr. Gould will, of course, visit the Pool the Sphinx. And quite possibly he may bring home with him a few samples of Egyptian darkness for the edification of Wall street.

ELIBU Roor's speech in the Republican Convention favoring the nomination of NICOLL and MARTINE was "a corker." If CHAUNCEY DEPEW ever gets tired of wearing his oratorical mantle he might loan it to Mr. Roor. It would rest more becomingly on his shoulders than on those of almost any other man in New York.

"Politicians can't butt against public sentiment," said Gen. BARNUM to the Republican Convention. They can, but it will be the worse for their heads. And the same with newspapers.

NICOLL is summoned to the District-Attorneyship " by the voice of the people of this city." He will make it hotter for the Boodlers than the Hot Springs were for Col. FEL-

A list of the men who pay the \$10,000 assessment on the "Combine's" candidate for District-Attorney would give one reason for every dollar why he should not be elected.

Promptly following NICOLL's nomination comes news that Moloney and Dempsey, two of the banished Boodlers, are to go into business in Montreal. Cause and effect.

"I am a thorough Democrat," says Mr. NICOLL. Thorough Democracy means a thorough prosecution of Boodlers and

Nobody has yet charged with ghoulish glee that the President's Thanksgiving proclams tion was taken from the cyclopædia.

The United Labor party has been cheated out of its election inspectors, but its voters are not subject to legal legerdemain.

The Snug Harbor seems to be a Snag Har-NICOLL was loyal to his chief. He will be

Boss Power's " knife" turns out

comerang. "Got there" again, all the same

loyal to the people.

BROOKLYN MEN AFTER VOTES

BIG MEETINGS TO BE HELD TO BOOM THE CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR.

Gov. Hill to Help Comptroller Chapla— Cel. Baird Driving Around Picking up Promises—Would-be Civil Justices Running on Platforms of Their Own-Mer Likely to Go to Albany This Winter.



TATE comptroller Alfred C. Chapin is taking a healthy interest in his canvass for Mayor of Brooklyn. When he called at the Democratic headquarters this morning to see how his campaign was doing ex-Judge Delmar and Ed Kollmeyer informed him that there was nothing the matter with his boom so far and that encouraging returns had been received

from the ward leaders On Thursday even ing Mr. Chapin is booked to talk to the people at the Palace Rink on the issues of the campaign, and on next Tuesday Gov. Hill, who thinks a great deal of Chapin, will help him along at the Academy of Music. Brooklynites have been very fond of Gov. Hill ever since his memorable "I am a Democrat" speech. Ex.-Gov. Curtin, of Pennsylvania, another old-timer that Brook-

Democrat" speech. Ex.-Gov. Curtin, of Pennsylvania, another old-timer that Brooklyn Democrats warm up to, will probably be on hand with Gov. Hill.

While all these Democratic preparations are going on the Republicans are not idle. They have made arrangements for a big massmeeting at the Palace Rink next week and Senator Hiscock, ex-Senator Warner Miller and Congressman "Deacon" White are down for speeches. Col. Andrew D. Baird, who wants to be Chief Magistrate of the city, rolls around the city daily in a light wagon picking up promises to vote where he thinks they will be carried out on election day. He is strong among workingmen because he was the first large employer to observe the Eight-Hour law and he has never had a strike among his two or three hundred employees. But he is not much of a speech maker, while Chapin would find no difficulty in entertaining an audience for an hour. Democrats think that if the two candidates could only be got together on a public platform Baird would want to withdraw when Chapin got through with him.

The gentlemen who want to be civil justices are making hot work for one a Assem.

The gentlemen who want to be civil justices are making hot work for one another. Justice Courtney is pitted against ex-Assemblyman "Jimmy" Taylor, whose closeness to Deacon Richardson, of street railroad fame, makes him easier to beat than he would otherwise be. Edward Schleuter, who desires to be Judge in the Third District, where he now is Clerk, is running against ex-Alderman Engle, and the German vote is divided. Joseph Benjamin, ex-Deputy Coroner, and Lawyer John Peterson have done the same thing with the German vote in the Second District. Both fights are being made on the strength of the personal popularity of the candidates.

The Democratic Aldermen at large have a

The Democratic Aldermen-at-large have a walk-over. Senator Worth has awakened to the fact that Assemblyman Thos. H. Farrell will give him a close run in the Fourth District, and J. Stewart Ross will endeavor to help the Democratic ticket by making a big fight in the Republican Third Senatorial District. As for Senater Pierce, nobody wants to throw away good money running against him. He will be practically unoposed.

posed.

The Assembly delegation from Kings will remain about the same. The prospects are that Moses J. Wafer will again represent the First District; Wm. H. McLaughlin, nephew of Hugh McLaughlin, the Second; P. K. McCann, the Third; Henry F. Haggerty, the Fourth; William Kelly, the Fifth; Daniel Wagner, the Sixth; Thomas Bonnington, the Eighth; Judge Longley, the Tenth: James P. Graham, the Eleventh, and Richard V. B. Newton, the Twelfth. The Ninth is doubtful.

he "Big Four" in the Board of Aldermen The "Big Four" in the Board of Aldermen will be there again. They are Kane, Mc-Carty, Coffey and McGarry. There is no salary to the office and not many persons want it. That is why Kane and McGarry go back after peremptorily declining to run.

VISITORS TO NEW YORK.

George M. Pullman is at the Victoria. Among arrivals at the Bartholdi is D. W. C. Rowland, of Louisville.

Bishop Huntington, of Central New York occupies a room at the Park Avenue. The Fifth Avenue Hotel shelters Batterson, the insurance man, of Hartford

The register of the Grand bears the name of J. S. Leeds, of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé Railroad.

J. J. Vandergrift, of the Standard Oil Company, whose home is in Pittsburg, is now a guest of the Albemarle. Congressman W. L. Scott, of Eric, Pa., and ex-Gov. Rice, of Massachusetts, are booked at the Fifth Avenue Hotel.

Railroad interests are represented at the Murray Hill Hotel by George Olds, of Montreal, and M. T. Dennis, of Boston. Mr. and Mrs. D. Lawrie, of London, and W. R. Putman, of Portland, Mc., recently appointed Fisheries Commissioners, are stay-ing at the Windsor.

Prominent among the strangers in the city is Madame Carolina de Lopez, wife of the Acting President of Venezuela. She and her party have apartments at the Victoria. Among others at the Brunswick are Mrs. William Bliss, wife of the President of the Boston and Albany Railroad; N. K. Fairbanks, of Chicago, and Sir John Swinburne, M. P., of England.

Answered Out of Its Own Mouth.

[From the Herald. Oct. 26.] But our Republican contemporaries insist upon Mr. Nicoll and reject and vilify Mr. Pellows.

Just look at the situation for a minute. The whole press is the advocate of Nicoll for District-Attorney. That is significant because the press is the multiform organ of the people. It is closer to the people's life; it knows more of their feelings, their hopes, their conscience, their demands, than any other institution in the country. When it is unanimous, as in the present instance, it is almost dead sure to be right. Say what you please, the press has the welfare of the city at heart, and when its advocacy is strong and emphatic it simply roices that public sentiment which it is dangerous for the politician to resist.

Sacrificing Party Considerations. [From the Tribune.]

The Republican party in this city, by the action of its convention last night, showed its determinaion to take all necessary steps for the purification of the City Government and the best interests of this community. In the hands of Col. Fellows the District-Attorney's office would sink to a depth of degradation such as has not before disgraced this great and responsible position. Mr. Nicoll is the strongest possible candidate with whom to defeat Col. Fellows, and in order to secure that defeat the Republicans decided to sacrifice all party considerations, and to put two Democrats on their ticket i place of one.

Policeman Hahn, who shot Jack Hussey, re ported for duty at 6 o'clock last evening and was

sent to the railroad post at Tremont by Capt. Rot

LOVERING'S CHANCES ARE GOOD

ate View the Coming Gube

(stucted to the stanted women, Ter Boston, Oct. 26 .- Democrats in Bosto and in fact all over the State, are greatly enouraged by the outlook for November. The publication of General Ames's war record in Sunday's Globe has aroused intense excitement all over the State. The Grand Army men do not take kindly to the man from North Easton, at best, and this exposure

North Easton, at best, and this exposure has added material strength to the chances of Henry B. Lovering, whose war record is well known.

Registration closed in Boston yesterday and a hurried calculation, with estimates of the registration at the ward offices last evening, gives a total of 16,023 names placed on the supplementary voting lists. This would make a total number of 80,316 names on the voting lists, or 4,451 more than were on the lists for the State election of last year, and over 2,600 more than were on the final lists last year. This increase is partly due to an increased registration, signs of which were to be seen some days ago, but in larger part to the increase of 3,430 names on the first list of 1886. The increased registration is mainly Democratic.

Henry B. Lovering, Democratic candidate for Governer, begins next Monday morning

for Governer, begins next Monday morning a two-weeks' tour of the State. He will speak several times a day. The Republican managers have recently made another de-mand on the present Governor for additional funds.

GOV. SAWYER IS CHANDLER'S RIVAL.

Chances that the Former Will Succeed the

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.] CONCORD, N. H., Oct. 26 .- Perhaps the most listurbed man in the State to-day is William E. Chandler. At the time of his election to the United States Senate the rival candidates were not of a dangerous sort, as matters then stood. Mr. Chandler's term expires in 1889 and he is exceedingly ambitious to succeed himself. In the railroad fight he has claimed to be neutral. Whatever editorials he has written for his paper, the Concord Monitor, have been of Utopian character, with no particular reference to the railroad contest. By his veto of the Hazen bill Gov. Sawyer has come to be prominently mentioned, together with others, for the United States Senate in 1889, and Mr. Chandler has sunk into the content of the

senher with others, for the United States Senhe in 1889, and Mr. Chandler has sunk into insignificance in connection therewith, and his disquietude is very marked. It is a well-known fact that Mr. Chandler's election was only secured by the most strenuous exertions of his friends political, and that, had there been an available candidate of any considerable strength, the ex-Secretary of the Navy could not have been elected.

It is currently reported that Mr. Chandler owes his election to Frank Jones, who refused to support him, in accordance with a mutual agreement made before the session of the Legislature opened. The position he has taken in the railroad fight has estranged the greater part of his influential friends, and it is very doubtful if he is returned to the United States Senate from New Hampshire.

COAL MINERS TO COMBINE.

The Two Great Organizations to be Merger Into One.

PITTSBURG. Oct. 26 .- An effort is to be made to unite the coal miners throughout the encountry into one national organization. The Knights of Labor and the Federated Miners will try and arrange for a consolidation of the two organizations. Looking to this end the Miners' National Assembly of Knights of Labor issued a letter to-day inviting the Executive Board of the Federation to meet with them and arrange a plan of amalgamation. It is understood that the Federation is favorable to the scheme, and that at the proposed meeting the initial steps to decide which organization shall be merged into the other will be taken. shall be merged into the other will be taken. There are at present about 250,000 coal miners in the country. Of this number 50,000 are members of the Knights of Labor and 14,000 are in the Federation. The balance are unorganized, and every effort will be made to bring them all into the fold.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

Congratulations from Contemporaries on the

[Prom the Seville (Fla.) Independent.] A copy of the first issue of the New York EVEN-ING WORLD is before us. It is a remarkable paper, 111,410 copies having been sold the first day at one

Success of "The Evening World."

cent each. [From the Lynchburgh (Va.) News.] People have ceased to be astonished at the phe menal enterprise of the New-York WORLD Nothing seems to be beyond its reach in the direction of journalistic attainment, so people have ceased to marvel. Its latest is the issuance of ar evening edition, which seems to have leaped with single bound into the favor and affections of the public. The son is worthy sire.

(From the Washington Critic.)
The NEW YORK EVENING WORLD claims to have circulation of over 100,000 a day. These are big figures, but we do not propose to dispute their accuracy. It is not at all unreasonable to suppos that there 100,000 people in New York who wan just such a bright, enterprising, readable paper as the evening edition of THE WORLD is. The people are not slow to appreciate good journalism.

[From the Durby (Pa.) Independent.]
The New York EVENING WORLD, the latest journalistic venture of Editor Pulitzer achieved a circulation of 115,000 within five days of its birth. The secret of THE WORLD'S success, however, lie in the fact that Pulitzer possesses great business tact, and not only makes both ends meet, but causes them to overlap by a good many inches There is nothing like creating a void and filling it.

[From the Nebrusku City Ness.]
Joseph Pulitzer is to be congratulated. He purchased the New York WORLD when it was below 'low-water mark," and now it has the largest circulation of any paper in the United States. Not content with the success of the morning WORLD, he has started an evening edition, and in seven days that paper has a circulation ahead of its seven competitors. As a "rustler" Pulitzer cannot be

beaten. [From the Frenton Gasette.] The new venture in journalism by the New York WORLD, in publishing an evening edition, promises to match the phenomenal success of the morning Wonld. It has already jumped to the front place among New York evening papers, and possesses merits that are likely to keep it there. It is a bright, racy, newsy, interesting paper, and as plain-spoken, honest and courageous as its morn-

[From the Mount Kisco (N. Y.) Recorder.] The one big thing in modern journalism on this ontinent is the growth and success of the New York Wohld. Taken up by Mr. Pulitzer five years ago, when it was walking around to save funeral expenses, it is now the beacon-light of all the city papers. It is a phenomenon. It has grown in circulation beyond the wildest dreams of success; it has a political and general influence that is unmeasurable, and it is the unspeakable terror of a evil-doers. No wonder it succeeds. Last Sunday it printed and sold over 270,000 copies, using over sixty-eight tons of paper, and equal to 1, 203, 469 copies of an eight-page paper. On Monday it started an Evening World, which led off with over 111, 000 copies, and bids fair to be the "boss" one-cent evening journal of the city.

Did Not Wait to Dress.

Fire was discovered shortly after 2 o'clock this orning in the tenement house at 406 East Eightyeighth street. There was an incipient panic, and the inmates rushed from their rooms without the usual formality of previously dressing. The firemen soon got the flames under control.

DISCUSSING WOMAN'S WORK

PIPTEENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE WOMEN'S CONGRESS.

vancement of Women Entertained by Seroels, Its Founder and Patron-Ninth Biennial Conference of Women's Christian Associations—The Subjects Discussed.



resentatives of each exclaimed to an Even-At the Masonic Temple, Twenty-third street and Sixth avenue, the Society for the Advancement of Women, which was born. the child of Sorosis, in this city fif-teen years ago, is holding its fifteenth teen years ago, is holding its fifteenth Congress, the invited and entertained of its proud mother. It began a three days' session with an executive meeting this morning and a public session at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon. Papers were read by Laura B. Clay, daughter of Cassius M. Clay, of Kentucky, and Mrs. Rebecca M. Hazzard of Missouri, the former on "The Responsibility of Women for the Tone of Public Sentiment," and the latter on "Home Studies for Women."

The single object of the organization as expressed in its constitution is: "Its object shall be to consider and present practical methods for securing to women higher intellectual, moral and physical conditions, with a view to the improvement of all domestic and social relations."

Among the ladies present to-day were Mrs.

a view to the improvement of all domestic and social relations."

Among the ladies present to-day were Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, President of the association; Mrs. Catherine M. Stebbins, of Detroit; Mrs. Catherine Mrs. Harriet A. Townsend, of Buffalo; Ella C. Chapman, of Fredonia; Mrs. H. L. T. Wolcott, of Massachusetts; Mrs. Mary Wright Sewall, of Indianapolis; Mrs. Caroline M. Brown, Dr. Julia Hölmes Smith and Mrs. Mary E. Bundy, of Chicago; the Rev. Antoinette B. Blackwell, of New Jersey; Mrs. Lita Barney Sayles, of Connecticut; Mrs. Enima C. Bascom, of Visconsin; Mrs. Elizabeth T. Graham, of Baltimore; Miss Sarah J. Eddy and Miss Mary C. Peckham, of Providence; Dr. Pauline Morton, of Rochester; Miss Georgia Leonard, of Washington; Miss Annie Goslin Spencer and Miss Goslin, of Lansingburg; Miss May Rogers, of Dubuque, Ia.; Miss Mary F. Eastman, of Tewksbury, Mass.; Mrs. Ednah D. Cheney, of Massachusetts; the Rev. Adah C. Bowles, of Abingdon, Mass.; Elizabeth Boynton Harbert, of Chicago; Mrs. C. A. Quimby, of Maine; Miss Ella A. Giles, of Wisconsin, and Mrs. Caroline R. Wendell, of New Hampshire, together with Mrs. Mary A. Newton, "Jennie June" Croly, Mrs. E. Louise Demarest, Mrs. Lizzie W. Champney, Dr. Jennie M. Lozier, Mrs. Mary Kyle Dallas, Mrs. Sophie C. Young and other prominent members of "Sorosis."

The second day's session of the ninth

Sorosis."

The second day's session of the ninth iennial international conference of the biennial international conference of the Women's Christian Association, at the building of the Young Women's Christian Association, 7 East Fifteenth street, was a particularly interesting one. A prayer-meeting at 9.30 A. M. was followed by a business meeting at which the reports of the associations were made, after which two papers were read. The first was on "Preventive Work," by Mrs. M. E. Rawson, of Cleveland, O., and Mrs. M. H. Ingham.

Rawson, of Cleveland, O., and Jan. Ingham.

The second paper, on "Amusements for Working Girls," by Miss M. C. Thompson, Superintendent of the Philadelphia Women's Christian Association, was particularly interesting and a sensible exposition of a theory for the amusement of this improperly

amused class.

To-night a series of meetings, carried on by working women and girls themselves, for their own improvement and advancement, will be inaugurated at Pythagoras Hall in

THANKSGIVING DAY, NOV. 24.

Proclamation Issued by the President of the

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26. - The following proclamation was issued late yesterday afternoon.

By the President of the United States:

The goodness and the mercy of God which have followed the American people during all the days of the past year claim their grateful recognition and humble acknowledgment. By His omnipotent power He has protected us from war and pestilence, and from every national calamity. By His gracious favor the earth has yielded a generous return to the labor of the husbandman, and every path of honest toil has led to comfort and contentment. By His loving kindness the hearts of our people have been replenished with fraternal sentiment and patriotic endeavor, and by His unerring guidance we have been directed in the way of national prosperity.

ment and patriotic endeavor, and by His unerring guidance we have been directed in the way of national prosperity.

To the end that we may, with one accord, testify our graditude for all these blessings, I, Grover Cleveland, President of the United States, do hereby designate and set apart Thursday, the twenty-fourth day of November next, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer, to be observed by all the people of the land.

On that day let all secular work and employment be suspended and let our people assemble in their accustomed places of worship and with prayer and songs of praise give thanks to our Heavenly Father for all that He has done for us, while we humbly implore the forgiveness of our sins and a continuance of His mercy.

Let families and kindred be reunited on that day and let their hearts, filled with kindly cheer and affectionate reminiscence, be turned in thankfulness to the source of all their pleasures and the Giver of all that makes the day glad and joyous.

And in the midst of our worship and happiness let us remember the poor, the needy and the unfortunate, and by our gifts of charity and ready benevolence let us increase the number of those who with grateful hearts shall join in cur thanksgiving.

In witness whereof, I have set my hand and

giving.
In witness whereof, I have set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be hereunte affixed.
Done at the city of Washington this twenty-fifth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and indiventity.

GROVER CLEVELAND.

GROVER CLEVELAND. By the Fresident:
THOMAS F. BAYARD. Secretary of State.

Still in the Ring, Although Dead. A tall and thick-bodied but nimble-footed man ras capering around in front of an active youth in John Wood's gymnasium this morning. Both had big gloves on their fists and were whacking at big gloves on their flats and were whacking at each other's heads. They were Prof. McClellan and his pet pupil. "I'm feeling awfully bine this morning," said the Professor. "I've just read the sad details by telegraph from Panama of my death down there at the hands of a big, black canal digger. I'm all broke up, I don't know whether to send down flowers to my own funeral or not. I wonder what is the proper caper under the circumstances? I'm getting used to being reported dead, though. This is the sixth time inside of three years. I wish The Evenino World would tell all my friends that although I'm dead, I'm still in the ring."

Jealous of a Postage Stamp. While the crowd at the Star Theatre was laugh ng at Bob Acres's mishaps last evening two rows

of ladies in the parquet were having a sadly mel-

ancholy time. A young and pretty woman in the ancholy time. A young and pretty woman in the row before them wore a dainty black bonnet set off with just a dash of red ribbon. It was fastened with a jet pin and on the end of the pin was what looked like a fairy-like film of sliver, hammered and engraved into a dainty vignette. All the ladies who saw the quaint portrait feit much heart-burning because they had none like it. At the end of the second act the husband of the wearer of the ornament whispered something to her. She blushed, smiled and said: "I wonder how that five-cent postage stamp ever got pinned on that way." Then postage stamp ever got pinned on that way." Then the other females heaved sighs of deep relies and gave up envying.



Hail Fellows, Well Met.

AT LAST NIGHT'S CONVENTION.

Sitting Bull Lawson has never failed to It was one of the largest local conventions ever held in this city.

Mr. Elihu Root's speech was one of his finest oratorical efforts. The delegates from the Ninth District were unanimous for Nicoll and Martine.

Ernest Crosby, the apostle of temperance, and Jacob Hess, the brewer, sat together. Every candidate on the Republican ticket favored the nomination of Nicoll and Mar-

The general opinion seemed to be that the ticket would be elected by at least 15,000 votes.

Mr. George W. Lyon withdrew gracefully as the slated nominee for Judge of General There was the greatest enthusiasm and the mention of Mr. Nicoll's name always evoked

Mr. Edward Mitchell surprised his friends by opposing the nomination of Mr. Martine and Mr. Nicoll. Mr. Cornelius N. Bliss was heard to say:
"This is glorious work. The people will indorse our action."

Business men who are members of the Re-publican party, but who do not usually at-tend conventions, were present in large num-

"I am now proud of being a Republican," exclaimed Uncle George B. Deane, sr. "I helped to organize the party in this city in 1856." "I will bet," said Coroner Nugent, "that over five hundred Democrats have told me they were against the Union Democratic ticket."

"The County Democrats," remarked one of the Republican leaders, "would be willing to sell out the State ticket for votes for Fellows."

watch the proceedings. Commodore Tooker threw up his hat when Nicoll and Martine were nominated. Ex-Assemblyman Van Allen would have liked to have been nominated for City Court Judge. He opposed the placing of Demo-crats on the ticket.

An Irving Hall committee was present to

"The New York World deserves a great deal of credit for the fight it has made. It will yet convertex-Senator Gibbs," remarked ex-Assemblyman Windolph.

It was said that Police Justice Maurice J. Power nearly fainted when Police Justice Solon B. Smith told him that Nicoll and Mar-tine would both be nominated.

FIGS AND THISTLES.

The entire revenue of the postmaster at Browns ille, Kan. , last year amounted to only 56 cents. The Farwells, of Chicago, who have the conract for building the Texas Capitol, saved \$175.00

by purchasing the iron and steel for the huge

tructure in England. A Justice of the Peace in San José, Cal., has surpassed the record of the clergyman who married himself by officially certifying an acknowledgment of his own signature to a mort

gage. cently caught in his net the largest sea turtle ever seen on the coast. It was eight feet long from its

A merchant of Merrill, Wis., has adopted

novel and successful method of advertising. He

took his old white cow, plastered her over head to heels with advertisements, and set her at large in the streets of the town. Miss Anna Larner died at Bulltown, Ky., last vigorous old lady. She had never been sick a day after she reached maturity, and never had to use

the day of her death. A resident of Sumter, Ga., was driving a mule through the streets when the breeze caught up a big piece of blue paper lying in the gutter and whirled it directly before the animal's face. The mule started back in terror, trembled violently, and then fell over dead.

Jennie Gibson, a handsome girl of seventeer

living at Arkwright, N. Y., is almost totally blind

glasses. Her memory remained unimpaired up to

by day, but at night she can see as well as any one. As far as her organs of sight are concerned she t a human owl, and the doctors, speaking scientifically, call her a nyctalops. Augustus St. Gaudens, the sculptor, whose statue of Lincoln was unveiled in Chicago last Saturday, is the son of a French shoemaker on Fourth

avenue, in this city. His artistic education was acquired against the wishes of his father, who desired to have him follow the cobbler's trade. The girls in the department of manual training at the St. Paul High School have demonstrated that they can saw a board as well as a man can. Thirty-six of them gave an exhibition of their skill to an admiring audience, and they also drove countless nalls without once hammering their

As Willie Allen was going out at the front gate of his father's residence the other evening he laid his hand on the gate to open it and felt something soft there. Then to his horror he saw a big moo casin snake draw back its head as if to strike. He hammered the reptile with his umbrella and killed it.

thumbs.

The oldest Consul of the United States in continuous service is Mr. Horatio J. Sprague, who was appointed to the Consulate at Gibraltar in 1846, forty-one years ago. He seems to be a fixture. but his office is apparently not a sinecure, for his salary is only \$1,500 a year, while his expenditure in maintaining the office is \$7,000 annually.

Gov. Bodwell, of Maine, took out a life insur-

ance policy of \$20,000 some years ago, and, instead of making it payable to his wife, announced that he had had it written "for the benefit of some of his deserving friends." The policy is still in force, and many a young man in Maine is wondering whether the lightning will strike him when the Governor dies. Amend-Rider.

Miss Annie Rider, sister of Herman Rider, was narried to William Amend, son of ex-Schoo ommissioner Amend, in St. Joseph's Church, in Eighty-seventh street, this morning. The mar-nage ceremony was performed by the Rev. Joseph Bursam, assisted by the Rev. Herman Blumensaat and the Rev. Euriburt Heidenrich.

KNIGHTS STANDING FIRM. THEY ARE UNWILLING TO COUNTENANCE A SPLIT IN THE ORDER Some of Them, However, While Supporting the Powderly Administration, Sympathiae With the Condemned Anarchists-District

> Meeting in Union Square Saturday. The reported split in the order of the Knights of Labor, and the circular of the socalled "Provisional Committee," calling upon the malcontents or opponents of the present administration of the Knights to reorganize the order, is the all-absorbing topic of conversation in the organized trades and labor unions and the assemblies of the

Master Workmen to Address an Asarch

Knights of Labor. The friends of General Master Workman Powderly do not consider the opposition as of sufficient calibre to break up the order, and characterize the efforts of his opponents as of a chronic nature and unworthy serious thought. A few take a conservative view, and while they are not satisfied with the course of the General Master Workman and of the General Assembly in some matters, they are pleased with it on the whole and think that the policy pursued and that outlined by Mr. Powderly and his strongest supporters at the late convention will redound to the ultimate good of the Order and tend to increase its membership.

Still there are leaders who are opposed to the General Master Workman, and they have a large following ; but they do not believe in going outside of the Order to obtain reforms, and will endeavor by all the means in their power to bring about a change in the administration. Some of these leaders are opposed to the action of the General Assembly in refusing to entertain the resolution presented by Master Workman Quinn, of District Assembly No. 49, asking the Governor of Illinois for mercy in the case of the condemned Anarchists. These case of the condemned Anarchists. These same men, however, are opposed to any attempt to create a division in the order, and openly declare that this is the last year of Mr. Powderly and the present General Executive Board, and that a radical change will take place when the next General Assembly

The most zealous supporters of Mr. Powderly, on the other hand, assert that he is the only man in the order at the present time who is capable of administering its affairs in

who is capable of administering its affairs in a capable and sensible manner and who commands the respect of the public at large.

The question uppermost in the minds of the Knights is the action with reference to the condemned Anarchists, and this is said to be the cause of the present excitement and the opponents of Mr. Powderly are said to have taken advantage of it to create a division and form a new organization. These opponents are in a hopeless minority, as shown in the proceedings of of the General Assembly, where some of the leaders who formerly opposed Mr. Powderly became his warmest friends and supporters, and are willing to acknowledge that, after all, he is the best man for the head of affairs in the order.

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Interviews had with prominent Knights show the sentiment which prevails among the District Assemblies in this city:

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John J. Bealin, one of the most active members of District Assembly No. 49, which is the largest Assembly in the order, having a membership of 50,000, said: "I do not think that there will be any serious withdrawals from the order. The legislation of the late General Assembly will result in the ultimate good of the order, and will tend to increase its membership largely within the next year."

James P. Archibald, of the Paper-Hangers' Local Assembly, and Paul Mayer, of the United Clothing-Cutters, expressed confidence in General Master Workman Powderly and said that the order was on a better footing than ever and would largely increase its membership.

John McMackin and John Jones, of the Progressive Painters, united in the expression of confidence in Mr. Powderly's honesty and fairness and said they did not believe a split would ever occur in the order.

Thomas J. Ford, of the United Brassworkers, a body of 5,000 men under the jurisdiction of No. 49, said: "The action of the General Assembly will increase the membership. As a whole the legislation meets my approval, especially that part of it which encourages the formation of trades districts. I have not paid any attention to the circular of the Provisional Committee of Chicago. I believe that the disposition is to harmonize, and all concerned will eventually come to an understanding that will result in the general good."

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Timothy Putnam, a prominent figure in No. 49, said: "The men who are most in sympathy with the Anarchists are the most desirous of remaining in the order. The progressive men of to-day have no such field as they have in the Knights of Labor. All of the kickers are not Anarchists; for instance, George Murray, of No. 64, the Printers' District Assembly. Buchanan may think that he is an Anarchist, but he isn't. John Morrison, of No. 126, and Buchanan are the only real kickers in the order and I believe that they are at the bottom of the present movement, Morrison and his followers are really not in the order. No. 49 is the only district assembly that instructed its delegated to do all in their power to secure a new trial for the condemned Anarchists. If it were the Anarchists who desire to get out of the order, how do you account for the large mass-meeting which is to be held in Union Square on Saturday evening?"

Mr. Putnam then read the names of the following District Master Workmen who are to address he meeting, and whom he said are in sympathy with the movement in behalf of the condemned men: James E. Quinn, of No. 49; A. A. Hanley, No. 197, of New Jersey; M. J. Kelly, No. 91; F. F. Donovan, No. 64; J. R. Manson, No. 68, of Troy, J. J. Daly, No. 152, of Syracuse; W. R. McGuire, No. 186, and E. J. Hall, No. 188, Messrs T. B. Maguire, Balley, Barry, Colston and Aylesworth, of the General Executive Board of the order, have been invited and some of them will be on hand. Messrs Victor Drury and Hugh Greenan, of No. 48 will also deliver addresses.

Mr. J. D. Dulea, of No. 91, favored Mr. Powderly's administration, but was also in sympathy with the movement for aiding the condemned men to obtain a new trial. He is opposed to any division in the order or the attempt to form any new organization.

Nominated Last Evening. Nicholas Muller was nominated for Senator to the United Labor party in the Fifth District. About hirty delegates objected and left the convention.

At the Ninth District County Democracy Judicia Convention Joseph T. Fallon was nominated. The German-American Independents of the Eleventi Judicial District named Denis A. Spelliasy for Civi Justice.

Justice.

Assembly Nominations—Ninth District, County Democracy, John Martin; Seventh District, Banks son T. Morgan, Republican; Eleventh District, County Democracy, Dr. Chas. S. Rabel; Twenty Birst District, Republican, Ernest H. Crosby.

Patrick Divver, Tammany Hall, was renomb nated for Alderman in the Second District. By the Eighth District, Alderman Christian Gosts. Republican, was renominated. Other Aldermaniconventions resulted as follows; Seventeenti District, Republican, Robert S. Dabbie; This teenth, Republican, John C. McMurray; Eleventh, United Democracy, Edward C. Smith; First District, United Democracy, Fatrick McCarty; Sixt District, County Democracy, William Clascy; Ninth District, County Democracy, William Clascy; Ninth District, County Democracy, William H. Walker; Seventh District, Republican, Alfred Conkilns.

Plans of George and McGlynn Henry George will speak at Watertown to-nigh at Oswego to-morrow night, and at Home on Fri-day evening. He will return home on Saturday, and devote the remainder of the campaign to speaking in this city. Dr. McGlynn will also re-turn to the city and deliver speeches every night